

64812 to 64842—Continued.**64841.** PRUNUS sp. Amygdalaceae. Plum.*Early Gem.* A very early-maturing cherry plum raised in Australia.**64842.** PRUNUS sp. Amygdalaceae. Plum.
*Jenkin's Seedling.***64843 and 64844.** PINUS spp. Pinaceae.
Pine.

From Zerne, Switzerland. Seeds presented by Mr. Bessole, of Veuve Roner & Co., at the request of Augustine Henry, College of Science for Ireland, Dublin. Received September 11, 1925.

64843. PINUS MONTANA PUMILIO (Haecke) Willk.

A handsome hardy low shrubby pine with ascending branches densely clothed with bright-green foliage. Before maturity the cone is usually violet-purple, becoming yellowish or dark brown when fully ripe. This form is native to the mountains of central Europe.

For previous introduction, see S. P. I. No. 59697.

64844. PINUS MONTANA UNCINATA Willk.A variety of *Pinus montana* which becomes 60 to 80 feet high, with bluntly pyramidal cones. It is found in France and Spain.**64845 to 64854.** CITRUS spp. Rutaceae.

From Avondale, Auckland, New Zealand. Plants presented by H. R. Wright. Received September 19, 1925. Notes by Mr. Wright.

64845 to 64851. CITRUS NOBILIS DELICIOSA (Ten.) Swingle. Mandarin orange.**64845.** *Beauty of Glen Retreat.* I have seen these more than 8 inches in diameter.**64846.** *Early Imperial.* The earliest mandarin to ripen here.**64847.** *Early Shipping.* An orange-mandarin hybrid; very early.**64848.** *Ellendale Beauty.***64849.** *Jacob Special.***64850.** *Navel orange.***64851.** *Thorny.***64852 to 64854.** CITRUS SINENSIS (L.) Osbeck. Sweet orange.**64852 and 64853.** *Best's Seedless*, a selected strain; quality excellent.**64852.** On rough-lemon stock.**64853.** On sour-orange stock.**64854.** *Groverly Navel.* A prolific variety.**64855 to 64868.**

From Manchuria. Seeds collected by P. H. Dorsett, agricultural explorer, Bureau of Plant Industry. Received September 8, 1925. Notes by Mr. Dorsett.

64855. FESTUCA RUBRA L. Poaceae.
Red fescue grass.

No. 3742. Hingan. July 22, 1925. A tall grass with slender stems and panicles and fine leaves. From plants growing about halfway up the mountain.

64855 to 64868—Continued.**64856.** FRAGARIA sp. Rosaceae.
Strawberry.

No. 3753. Hingan. July 22, 1925. Fruits purchased from a Chinese who gathered them on the hills about here.

64857. MALUS sp. Malaceae. Apple.

No. 3830. Harbin. July 25, 1925. Green and very delicate pink-skinned fruits, of irregular size, with mealy white flesh of a sweet flavor. We think this the best-flavored Chinese apple we have tasted.

64858. POA NEMORALIS L. Poaceae.
Grass.

No. 3753a. Hingan. July 22, 1925.

64859. RIBES sp. Grossulariaceae.
Currant.

No. 3729. July 22, 1925. Seeds of a black currant obtained from a Chinese who collected them near Bukedoo.

64860. RIBES sp. Grossulariaceae.
Currant.

No. 3800. Hingan. July 23, 1925. Seeds of a black currant purchased from a Chinese at the railway station.

64861. RIBES sp. Grossulariaceae.
Currant.

No. 3801. July 23, 1925. Seeds obtained from a Chinese, who collected the fruits at Hingan.

64862. RUBUS sp. Rosaceae. Raspberry.

No. 3803. Hingan. July 23, 1925. Found on the old railway grade on the mountain.

64863. RUBUS sp. Rosaceae. Raspberry.

No. 3831. Harbin. July 25, 1925. A large-fruited red-capped raspberry purchased in the market, where it had been shipped in from Yimienpo in the mountains southeast of Harbin.

64864. RUBUS sp. Rosaceae. Raspberry.

No. 3832. July 25, 1925. A light creamy yellow raspberry purchased in the market, where it had been shipped in from Yimienpo in the mountains southeast of Harbin. This is the best raspberry we have seen. It is of good size and quality and of very good appearance.

64865. SAMBUCUS RACEMOSA L. Caprifoliaceae.
Red elder.

No. 3792. Hingan. July 23, 1925. An attractive ornamental, about 12 feet in height, found on the mountain side. It produces clusters of bright-red berries.

64866. SPIRAEA MEDIA Schmidt. Rosaceae.
Spirea.

No. 3741. Hingan. July 22, 1925. Plants 12 to 18 inches high, growing on the top of the mountain to the south of the railroad station. The flowers are white.

64867. VACCINIUM VITIS-IDAEA L. Vacciniaceae.

No. 3745. Hingan. July 23, 1925.

64868. VACCINIUM sp. Vacciniaceae.

No. 3802. Hingan. July 23, 1925. Fruits mostly round and deep purple with considerable bloom.